Disposition: On October 29, 1943, and February 10, 1944. The Butler Packing Co., Inc., Seattle, Wash., claimant for the Seattle lot, and John D. Hamilton, claimant for the Tacoma lot, having consented to the entry of decrees, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The unfit portion was segregated and destroyed.

6771. Adulteration of peanuts. U. S. v. 162 Bags of Peanuts (and 1 other seizure action against peanuts). Decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 10840, 11235. Sample Nos. 29718–F, 29733–F, 55724–F.)

LIBELS FILED: October 7 and December 3, 1943, Western District of Washington and Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 28 and June 4, 1943, by the Woldert Peanut Products Co., from Dublin and Tyler, Tex.

PRODUCT: Peanuts: 176 100-pound bags at Seattle, Wash., and 162 125-pound bags at Oakland, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "Wolco Brand."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects, larvae, pupae, insect excreta, and webbing.

DISPOSITION: October 29 and December 17, 1943. The California Peanut Co., Oakland, Calif., and the Butler Packing Co., Inc., Seattle, Wash., having appeared as claimants for the respective lots at Oakland and Seattle, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The unfit portion was segregated and destroyed.

6772. Adulteration of pecans. U. S. v. 18 Bags of Pecans. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 11443. Sample No. 49011-F.)

LIBEL FILED: December 17, 1943, Northern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 14, 1943, by the Consolidated Pecan Sales Co., Albany, Ga.

PRODUCT: 18 bags, each containing 50 pounds, of pecans at Cleveland, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "King Cole."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of shriveled, rancid, decomposed, and insect-infested nuts.

Disposition: May 26, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

6773. Adulteration of piñon nuts. U. S. v. 227 Bags of Piñon Nuts. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 11781. Sample No. 53634-F.)

LIBEL FILED: February 9, 1944, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 24, 1943, by Gross, Kelly & Co., Inc., from Gallup, N. Mex.

Product: 227 bags, each containing approximately 83 pounds, of piñon nuts at Los Angeles, Calif.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of pellets resembling rabbit excreta.

DISPOSITION: February 25, 1944. Gonzalez & Blanco, Los Angeles, Calif., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

6774. Adulteration of unshelled black walnuts. U. S. v. 600 Bags of Black Walnuts. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 11466. Sample No. 53802–F.)

LIBEL FILED: December 18, 1943, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 12, 1943, by the Gravette Shelling Co., from Gravette, Ark.

PRODUCT: 600 bags, each containing 100 pounds, of unshelled black walnuts at Los Angeles, Calif.